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## \$16,614.25 PRIMARY MONEY FOR COUNTY

SUM TO BE DIVIDED AMONG SCHOOL DISTRICTS

County Treasurer Wm. Ferguson is in receipt of money from the State Auditor General of the primary school fund amounting to \$16,614.25, which sum is to be divided among the several township school funds.

\$25,154.40 of the above amount is the primary money for the present year; the remainder, \$2,459.85 is back tax money for the years of 1926 and 1927, which amount was being withheld awaiting a supreme court decision as to its validity. There had been some protest on the part of Wayne and other highly valued townships, due to the fact that this extra amount was to go into the treasuries of the poorer school districts of the state, and in which they are not permitted to participate.

The total amount of the fund will be apportioned among the several townships as follows:

Beaver Creek	\$ 728.81
Frederic	2,884.19
Grayling	11,289.70
Lovell	603.60
Maple Forest	627.17
South Branch	590.78

The several amounts are arrived at according to the number of school children residing within the respective districts. We are sure the money will be most heartily welcomed by the school districts.

### MRS. HARTWICK ENTERTAINED ANN ARBOR FRIENDS AT CAMP

Thursday of last week was one of those perfect days that we have in the late summer and taking advantage of the ideal weather, Mrs. E. E. Hartwick of Detroit, had invited a group of friends to come over to Ann Arbor.

The party, including Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Raas, drove out to camp where they partook of one of those sumptuous dinners for which lumber camps are famous and where all the rules of diet are violated. After inspecting the camp buildings, the crowd, feeling much in need of exercise, descended the grade back of the mill where the logging operations are in full swing. They found it especially interesting to watch the big wheels holding the logs, being hauled up the steep hill by two teams of horses and a tractor.

The party besides the above mentioned included: Mr. Junior E. Beal, Recent of U. of M. and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clarkson, Mrs. Harriet B. Earhart, Mrs. Forman D. Hendrickson, Mrs. Ernest F. Loyd, Mrs. Stanley G. Stevens, Mr. Eugene Clarkson, Jr., Mr. Harlow Stever, Mr. James Dale, all of Ann Arbor, Michigan.

The party was very enthusiastic over the trip it being their first visit to a lumber camp. Mrs. Hartwick is very personally interested in the northern woods, being a daughter of the late Neils Michelson.

### Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Conference Sunday Sept. 16, 1928

There will be no church services on this Sunday, being Conference Sunday. Sunday School session at 11:45 a. m. and League service at 6:30 p. m.

The greatest optimist we know of is the fellow who says he is glad he doesn't have to worry with a million dollars on account of the income tax.

## School Notes

(Written by the students of the English classes.)

Well school has started again merrily to the joy of some and the sorrow of others. Most of the people are back from their vacations and should be ready to start working hard again. A great improvement has been made in the auditorium. The dark screens have been removed from the skylights and the walls redecorated in light tan and cream color making it much lighter and better for those who study.

There has been some difficulty in arranging the schedule to accommodate everyone. We expect to be all settled by next week however. Some classes are being divided because it seems that there are a great many people interested in the same subjects, especially: English Literature and American History. Although many of our old classmates have moved away, quite a number of new students have enrolled to help fill the vacancies.

Grayling High School has again taken up its round of studies for the coming year and the excitement and confusion of the first few days is being replaced by order and a good down-to-business attitude of the students in general.

The thing needed now that order has been established once more, is good class spirit. Without class spirit no class can expect to be well united, and the old proverb, "United We Stand, Divided We Fall," can well be used in connection with class spirit.

So, come on, students, one and all, from little Seventh Graders to experienced and world-wise Seniors, show that you have some class spirit and let your motto be, "Each for the Other and All for the Class" and bearing this in mind, we shall help to make Grayling High School worthy of its name and as good as any school in the country.

Now that the new school year has dawned upon us, we think that something ought to be said to make the year easier for our new teachers. They are our instructors. Our people are paying them to teach us so that we shall not be ignorant of the business of life. They are trying their best to teach us—and no one should be under the impression that he is here to instruct the teachers. Some of the older pupils who do not appreciate their school feel, no doubt, that the teachers are only here to impose upon them, and to make life miserable.

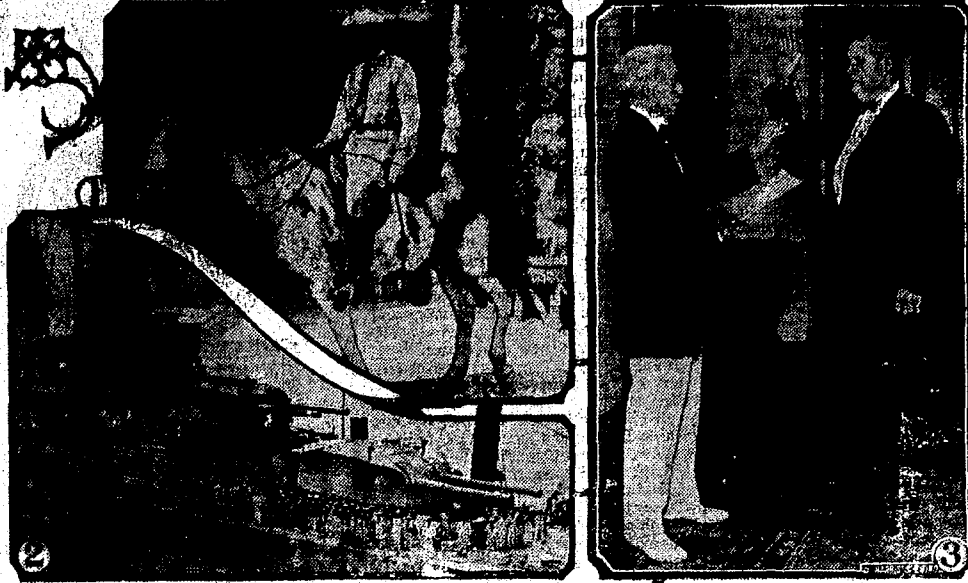
So often students feel that a teacher is someone to be dreaded—someone to be withheld from their circle of fun. That should not be so. Teachers, as a whole, teach because they love boys and girls and understand them. So let's appreciate our teachers now that they are with us, and not wait until the future when we have lost every trace of them.

A surprise awaited the students the first day of school. The assembly room had been redecorated during vacation time. The walls were kalsomined in some light color and the dirty old screens were taken out from above. This allows much more light than before, but at the same time, checks the glare of the sun in our eyes while studying in session periods. It is appreciated very highly by the high school students; thanks to Mr. Bogue, our new Superintendent.

The people in the assembly are getting settled at last. Mr. Bogue, the new Superintendent, and Mr. Cushman spent most of Tuesday and Wednesday classifying each class separately in order to meet the requirements necessary for graduation.

No pupil is allowed to take more than four subjects with the exception of the seniors who need more to graduate this year.

The schedule has been worked out so as best to arrange the classes and



1—Jaime Felix Tachiffely, Argentine archeologist, on his horse "Mancha" which he rode from Buenos Aires to Washington. 2—Deck and gun targets of the British battleship Australia which made an official visit to New York. 3—J. Ruben Clark of Utah (right) being sworn in as undersecretary of state by William McNeir of the State department.

subjects to meet those requirements for graduation.

The Chemistry, American History and English Literature classes have been divided, making it more convenient for teachers and students. More help can be received from the teacher in a smaller class.

The high school will have an orchestra or band under the instruction of Miss Quackenbush, the music teacher. Please watch for notice on bulletin board of the first meeting.

All of the girls who have played basket ball are looking forward to a lively team this year. Basket ball has always meant everything to them and to give it up would be very hard. Last year every practice was very well attended and all of the girls worked hard. Out of six games last season they won three. This year they have high expectations to do their best to win all of the games.

School has started with a record enrollment. Seats have been assigned and everything is in working order.

Miss Richards has been chosen as girls' athletic director. Fine! It looks as if we'll have a girls' basket ball team yet. You can't keep a good team down.

A course in public speaking has been arranged for this year under the direction of Mr. Hill.

Other new subjects have also been introduced this year; all are worth while and Grayling High appreciates it.

We have several new students in High School. Welcome! We hope you enjoy it as we do.

The Teacher's Reception was given by the Woman's Club, Friday evening, September 7.

A program was presented at 8:00 p. m. in the auditorium. This program was introduced with a number sung by the ladies quartette. This was followed by readings which were given by C. Hill, teacher of Public Speaking, and English in Grayling High. A play was given by a few of our students, after which there was a solo sung by Marie Schmidt. The President of the School Board, Dr. Keyport, gave welcome to the teachers. This Program was closed by another song from the quartette.

Following the program dancing was enjoyed in the gymnasium. Music was furnished by the Red Stripe Orchestra. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Norman and Devere Dawson have returned to school after a two weeks visit in Detroit and Ohio.

In spite of the fact that I am a new student to this school and a stranger to all my classmates and teachers, I am sure I will like it here very much. —A new student.

For a Student

- I would appreciate my school building.
- I would appreciate my teachers.
- I would be a good citizen of my high school.
- I would forget my desire to leave high school before graduation.
- I would learn the proper use of leisure time.
- I would learn how to study.
- I would budget my time.
- I would reverence all girls in my school and community.
- I would be morally clean.

## FACTORY PIANO SALE DRAWS BIG CROWD

NEW PLAYER MODELS SHOW MARKED IMPROVEMENT

The music loving public of Grayling manifested an unusual interest last Saturday in the big factory piano sale put on by the Waltham Piano Co. at Sorrell's Furniture Store.

Of unusual interest are the new Waltham player models containing the harpenola. This is a new device invented in the Waltham plant which enables the owner to enjoy the added music of harp or banjo with their player. By a simple movement of the lever, the operator can play a harp solo on the instrument, not to be detected from a selection furnished by an expert harpist. No experience whatever is needed in the playing of the harpenola, as the simplicity of it is such that any child can reproduce the finest classical selections of either piano, banjo or harp.

The Waltham Piano Co. is employing no agents or salesmen during this campaign. The instruments are being sold at factory prices in order to establish the agency for the Waltham piano in Grayling.

An outstanding value during this big sale is a player outfit consisting of a new player with music roll cabinet and bench to match, a piano lamp, scarf and twelve music rolls, all for \$257.

The company is also enabling those who haven't the cash to take advantage of their offer on an easy payment plan.

According to Mr. C. L. Netzw, no cash discount is being allowed during the sale, as every instrument is marked at rock bottom factory prices. This sale may close suddenly. It is therefore urged upon all who have not as yet called to do so at once as we are sure that you will be pleased with the real musical treat that is in store for you.

I would adopt an objective for my work.

"When we arrived in the commercial room the first day we found two new typewriters. They were a bit stiff but they will get limbered up under the pounding hands of the new typists."

When we arrived Tuesday at school the first thing that was noticed was that there were shades in room 44, while last year we did not have any.

We are arranging a new basket ball round of the younger group so as to have at least two teams, and maybe three. The money that was to have been used for foot ball is to be used for basket ball equipment.

We hope to have as good a team as we have had other years because every one is sure to turn out to a good basket ball game.

### VILLAGE TAXES DUE

I am ready to collect taxes for the Village, and may be found at my store every day from 9:00 a. m. to 8:00 p. m.

HERLUF SORENSON, Village Treasurer.

## TO FURNISH FARMERS STOCK FEED

CO-OP. WAREHOUSE OPENS UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Farmers of Crawford county are happy over the re-opening of the Crawford County Marketing Co-operative association warehouse for the purpose of supplying them with stock feeds of all kinds and fertilizers, etc.

Carl Carlson of Roscommon has leased the place and has engaged Andrew Brown for local manager. A large stock of feeds have been put into stock and farmers may now be assured of being able to get whatever they need here at any and all times. A specialty will be made of Michigan Farm Bureau feeds.

Mr. Brown is enthusiastic over the arrangements and says that this is a big benefit for the farmers of Crawford county, assuring them of the kind of feeds they require and also a big saving in prices. The warehouse will be open every day for the convenience of the public. Any special needs of the farmers will be given the quickest possible attention and delivery.

### HOOVER HELPS OUT THE PETS

Herbert Hoover does not have any pets of his own, but he fully understands how much they mean to others.

While the Mississippi flood was at its height, and his whole attention was riveted on the task of assisting thousands of refugees, a soldier came into his temporary office.

"What are we gonna do with these dogs, Mr. Secretary?" he asked.

"What dogs do you mean?" asked Hoover.

"Why, a lot of these refugees have brought dogs with them, and some have cats, too," replied the soldier.

"We'll take care of them, and good care," Hoover announced. "Those people haven't saved much. If any of them have pets—dogs, cats, or elephants—let them keep them and take care of them. Have some of the refugees built corrals with runways for the dogs."

"A few of them have canaries," the soldier began.

"All right," said Uncle Sam's emergency man, and turning to his secretary, "Order some bird seed, and if it is not on the regulation list, charge it to me."

Once upon a time we knew a girl who played croquet and one day she got her skirt caught in a wicket. This was a long time ago.

## AUTO RACES GAY-LORD FAIR SAT.

Gaylord, Mich., Sept. 12.—Through arrangements made at the state fair in Detroit last week by manager Guggisberg, the annual fair in this city is offering some of the greatest auto races in the world in a regular program of speed events on the fair grounds track here Saturday afternoon starting at 2:30 o'clock. The racers that will be here are the same that took part in the annual state fair program led by Sam Ross, Michigan champion who drives a front wheel drive Miller Special. Every one of the stars took part in the Indianapolis race this year. The racers are to appear in five different races, all of them of competitive nature and the events are sanctioned by the American Automobile Ass'n. Officials will be selected from prominent auto dealers in northern Michigan. The admission will be 75 cents, grandstand 25 cents with no charge for auto nor for parking them. This is the first time that famous stars of the speedway have been brought here and is made possible because they are enroute to the new upper peninsula state fair at Escanaba which opens next Monday.

### WOMAN'S CLUB AND SCHOOL BOARD SPONSOR RECEPTION FOR SCHOOL FACULTY

It has been the custom for the past few years for the two clubs of our city to alternate each year in entertaining with the school board, the public, with a reception and dance, the faculty of our school being the guests of honor.

This year it became the privilege of the Woman's club to sponsor the affair on Friday evening at the school house and as usual it was a very pleasant affair. A program was first given in the auditorium which consisted of two selections by the ladies quartette: Mrs. C. G. Clippert, Mrs. Roy Milnes, Miss Hermann and Mrs. Harold Jarmin, which were beautifully rendered. A duet by Mrs. Jarmin and Mrs. Milnes which was very well received and a solo by Miss Marie Schmidt was enjoyed by everyone. A reading was given by Mr. Charles J. Hill, teacher of English and public speaking, which was so well received that he had to respond with an encore. A one act comedy, "A Social Crisis" was given by six young ladies which was particularly appropriate and well given. The cast was as follows: Mrs. Arlington—Betty Welsh, Margaret Sinclair—Elaine Reagan, Mrs. Cooper—Virginia Hoels, Mrs. Brownell—Wilma Burrows, Miss Esthela Brown—Veronica Lovely.

The maid—Gail Welsh. A few appropriate remarks were made by Dr. C. R. Keyport welcoming Supt. and Mrs. Bogue and the rest of the faculty. He assured them that they would always find the parents and patrons ready and willing to co-operate with them in every way. The meeting of teachers and the dancing followed while the crowd mingled congenially until eleven thirty. The music for dancing was furnished by Schram's orchestra and was very good. During the evening the club ladies served punch and wafers which added to the sociability of the evening.

The personnel of the faculty is of a very high standard and the community extends a hearty welcome to them.

The talking pictures are going to prove to us that a lot of the movie stars we have admired are not as smart as we thought they were.

### CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Serviced at 10 o'clock A. M. Each Sunday Legion Hall. Everyone cordially invited. SUNDAY SCHOOL 10:00 O'CLOCK. All children welcome.

## HOSPITAL TO GRADUATE FOUR

EXERCISES TO BE HELD NEXT THURSDAY EVENING

Four young ladies have completed the required three years' course at Grayling Mercy Hospital Training School for Nurses and next Thursday evening, September 20th will hold their commencement exercises at the High School auditorium.

Those who make up the graduating class are Misses Louise Sorenson, Emma L. Hendrickson, Nina Sorenson and Sara J. Collier, and they with the Sisters of Mercy cordially invite you to be present at the exercises which will begin at eight o'clock.

Following the program a reception will be held.

## HUNTERS TO WEAR LICENSE BUTTONS

Lansing, Sept. 10.—With the hunting season approaching, seekers of game are looking forward to donning the new license buttons that the Department of Conservation is issuing. The buttons, about 480,000 in number, have all been shipped out to distribution points so that all is in readiness for the license rush. Conservation Department officers predict that the button plan will materially cut down the number of hunters who fail to secure licenses. The badge is large enough to be seen from a distance.

### DEPT. TO DISTRIBUTE FISH. TROUT FISHING WAS GOOD

Lansing, Sept. 10.—Starting the middle of the present month, the Fish Division of the Conservation Department will begin its fall distribution of fish. There is little activity at the present time but the machinery is prepared for the fall campaign.

Greel census reports made out by Conservation Department officers and forwarded to the Fish Division indicate that there was a large number of limit catches of trout this year. Fishermen who have been questioned by Department employees expressed satisfaction with the trout fishing during the past season.

With the closing of the fishing season the Department will compile statistics from the individual reports that have been made both by fishermen and officers of the Department. This information, while not thoroughly indicative of the fishing conditions, nevertheless supplies the Department with some valuable figures.



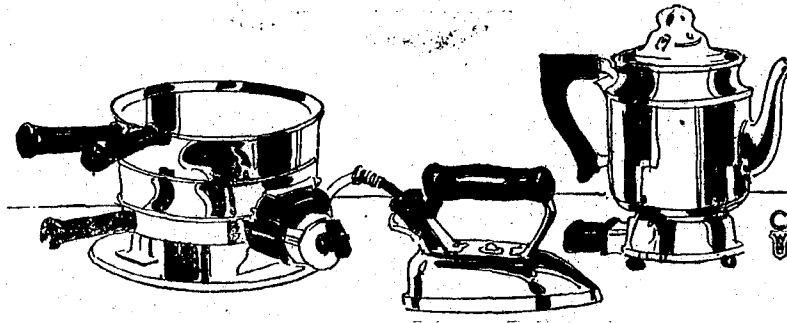
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1923

## WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH OUR SUPERVISORS

The tax payers of Crawford county got a nice (?) bump when the state commission was allowed to increase the valuation of the county \$234,000. This went thru without any protest on the part of our supervisors because the latter failed to be represented at the session of the state board, which is called so that the people of the state may show cause why there should or should not be any change in the established valuation.

The former valuation of Crawford county had been placed at \$2,000,000. At the last session of the State board it was increased to \$2,234,000.

We would like to know upon what the State board bases its figures for arriving at that amount of increase. Just where is the increase in valuation? A few cottages have been built in our resort regions during the past year which could hardly exceed \$50,000 in valuation. To this may be added the cost of improvement of some of the stores in Grayling, which wouldn't exceed \$10,000. Where else has there been any increase in valuation?

On the other hand, let us call attention to some very pronounced decreases in taxable property of the county. The Hanson pines are now the property of the State and are no longer taxable. That removes 8,000 acres from the tax roll. And within that tract of land are 80 acres of virgin pine all for which the owners asked the state to pay \$83,000. And the Salling Hanson Co. lumber mills have discontinued operations with the natural falling off in its valuation, taking at least another \$50,000 from our valuation. These two pieces of property are in Grayling township, and their removal from the tax roll should be credited to Grayling. In Frederick township it is well known that practically every stick of mer-

chantable timber has been harvested resulting in the removal of possibly another \$100,000 in valuation. These are major items that show decided decreases in valuation of the taxable property of the county. There are quite a number of other items showing both decrease and increase in valuation, but which, it appears, would quite evenly balance each other.

The above statement should have been sufficient to convince the state commission that Crawford county was due for a very substantial decrease in valuation. However, since our supervisors have failed to avail themselves of the right accorded every county to send a representative before the board, our tax payers now have to accept the injustice of an increase in their state tax. The matter of sending a representative to the state meeting was taken up during the last session of the County board. At that time Supervisor Nelson of Grayling township advocated sending a representative to the State meeting but was voted down so as to save expense. As it has turned out the money would have been very well spent.

## BANKERS HOLD MEETING HERE

## GROUP 3 OF MICH. ELECT. OF. FICERS FOR 1923-29

Group Three of the bankers association of Michigan held their annual convention in Grayling Monday at the Board of Trade rooms. Group Three represents eleven counties of Northeastern Michigan of which Herman Lundén of Gaylord was the chairman and Wm. Briley of Lewiston the secretary.

The forenoon was devoted to registration of the members after which they adjourned to Shoppenagons Inn for lunch. The afternoon was devoted to discussion of banking problems and listening to addresses by the following persons:

Mr. Dunham, president of the Michigan Bankers association, Detroit, who gave the principal address of the meeting.

Walter Truettner, representative of the First National Bank of Detroit.

Mr. P. V. Holder, of the Michigan Trust Co., Detroit.

Also there were representatives present from Highland Park Bank, Detroit, and several investment and bond houses.

Officers for the next current year elected at this meeting are: I. H. Errat, chairman, Cheboygan; Mr. Nimmo, also of Cheboygan, secretary. Cheboygan was elected as the meeting place for 1929.

A number of wives accompanied some of the delegates. While the men were busy the ladies were being entertained by Mrs. Marius Hanson and Mrs. Herman Lundén.

## SISTERS OF MERCY APPRECIATE HELP

With the aid of a number of very generous donations the Sisters of Mercy Hospital are glad to report that things have been much brighter for that institution this summer. The Sisters are very appreciative for the kind assistance and wish to extend their sincere thanks to the various organizations and individuals for their efforts in the interest of the hospital during the past six months. With the money thus so derived they have been able to make a number of needed repairs besides taking care of the balance of last year's coal bill, that had been standing owing to lack of funds. The hospital building has been painted, new cement pillars placed under the porches and the eave troughs repaired.

The donations in all amounted to \$1,619.00 and came from the following:

Hospital Aid society, charity ball	\$ 212.34
Hospital Aid society, Christmas check	50.00
Hospital Aid society, sale of flowers	54.00
Nurses' Alumnae Ass'n., benefit party	180.91
Elks Lodge, benefit party	481.25
League of Little Flower, from lunch, Elks party	106.00
State Military Dept., annual appropriation	500.00
Cash donations from various individuals	34.50
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,619.00</b>

Following is a list of the extraordinary expenses which must be met and which this money almost covers: Painting building \$450.00, Paint 139.00, Renewing cement pillars 167.00, Renewing eave troughs 38.92, Balance on last year's coal bill 500.00, Ins. premium Med. Prot. Ass'n. 70.00, Ins. premium on building 1,032.76.

It was through the earnest solicitation of Marius Hanson, that Mercy Hospital received the appropriation of \$500.00 from the State Military Department and this is to be annual, which will be a wonderful help. He should receive a vote of thanks from the community at large for his efforts.

With all this help early in the spring the hospital was presented with a new operating table, the very latest and best model money could buy. This was the excellent gift of Mrs. Rasmus Hanson. Besides there have been numerous gifts of flowers, food and other things brought to the hospital by friends.

The ladies of Mercy Hospital Aid society had planned to take care of the paint job and the amount as shown almost took care of it, while the Nurses' Alumnae gave their party to have the cement pillars replaced. The Aid society also take care of the plans and expenses of the annual Hospital day and the Commencement exercises when they come. These are big items and the ladies work hard to make them the fine successes they always are.

August was an exceptionally good month at the Hospital and at present there are quite a number of patients there. In all it has been a very profitable year so far and it is only through the fine co-operation that has been awarded this institution that this has been brought about.

## REPUBLICANS HOLD CONVENTION

The Republicans of Crawford county held their convention Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of selecting delegates for the state convention to be held in Detroit on Wednesday afternoon, September 19th.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing Hoover and Curtis for president and vice president; Arthur Vandenberg for U. S. senator; Roy O. Woodruff for congressman; Tony Achard for state senator and William Green for member of the state legislature. Also the Republican nominees for county offices, as follows:

George Sorenson, judge of probate. Wm. Ferguson, treasurer. J. E. Bobenmoyer, sheriff. Charles Gierke, clerk. Merle F. Nellist, prosecuting attorney.

Andrew Hart, register of deeds. The resolutions also endorsed the candidacy of Judges Potter, Head and North for nomination supreme court justices. Henry A. Bauman and O. P. Schumann were elected delegates to the state convention.

Immediately following the adjournment of the convention, the Republican county candidates met and elected the following for membership in the Republican county committee.

M. A. Bates, chairman. M. F. Nellist, secretary.

M. Hanson, treasurer. Also three members from each township, as follows:

Grayling: O. P. Schumann, Frank May, Lillian Sparkes. Frederick: Albert Lewis, Floyd Goshorn, Mrs. C. S. Barber.

Maple Forest: Rufus Edmunds, Archie Howse, Sr., Mrs. Arthur Howse.

Lovells: J. E. Kellogg, Joseph Vance.

South Branch: O. B. Scott, Wm. Stephens, Mrs. Mamie Salisbury.

Beaver Creek: Arthur Skingley, Hjalmer Mortenson, Mrs. Bertha Paul.

## MICHIGAN COUNCIL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The Inland Empire, which is the name given to the religious district including Oscoda, Roscommon, Ogemaw and Crawford counties held a very interesting meeting at the Michelson Memorial church Sunday. This meeting was held in the interest of the Sunday school and that subject was made the feature in a talk given by Miss Ione Catton. In the afternoon she discussed the problems confronting the Sunday school and attempted to give the solution to these problems. At six thirty she spoke to the Epworth League on "Making our Community more Christian" and then spoke again at the evening church service. All of Miss Catton's talks were most interesting and beneficial, and each time were enjoyed by a large crowd. These meetings are not restricted to one denomination but include nineteen different organizations.

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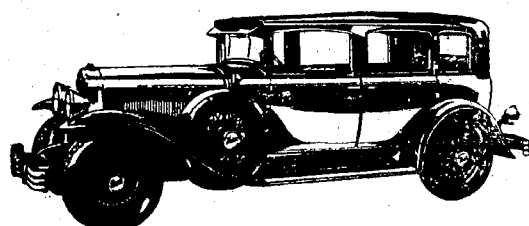
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HOUSE FOR RENT—Near school. Six rooms; electric lights. Inquire of O. P. Schumann, Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

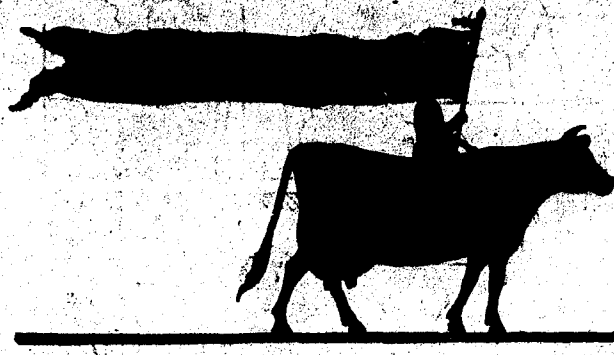
WANTED TO BUY—Live stock of all kinds and poultry. Nick Long, Gaylord, Michigan. tf.

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## AGRICULTURAL NOTES



The use of a concrete wallow for hogs is an aid in keeping down worm infestations, provided it is properly constructed and used.

It takes fewer eggs from October to January to pay for a given quantity of grain than at any other period of the year.

As an aid in controlling wheat scab in sections where this disease is prevalent, the central States and eastward, wheat should be sown when the ground is cool, on the latest safe date in the fall.

The destruction of the cultivated black currant is urged in Miscellaneous Publication 27-M, "Black Currant, Spread White-Pine Blister Rust," published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Valuable white-pine trees in many States are threatened because of the blister rust disease.

The market value of cowpeas may be improved by recleaning after threshing or hulling, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This is especially true of cowpeas failed out by hand. If a small huller is used, the cowpeas should be run through it a second time to remove more of the foreign matter.

A simple way to destroy ants on lawns of small area is to spray with kerosene emulsion or with a very strong soap wash, prepared by dissolving any common laundry soap in water at the rate of 1/2 or 1 pound of soap to a gallon of water. If the ant nests can be found, boiling water or a small quantity of kerosene will sometimes kill the insects in the nests. These fluids cannot, however, be applied in quantity with safety to the grass on lawns. In this case the soap wash should prove preferable.

Mineral feeds which supply calcium and phosphorus should be included in rations for chickens. Although nearly all the common chicken feeds contain minerals, there is usually a deficiency of calcium and phosphorus. Meat scraps and ground steamed bone meal as well as fish meal will supply phosphorus. Calcium, the continued lack of which will cause a noticeable decrease in egg production, can be furnished by keeping a supply of oyster shells or of limestone grit before the hens all of the time.

An important preventive measure in the control of the flag-smut disease on wheat, is the sowing of infested fields to other crops the following year unless a resistant wheat is used, as flag-smut spores easily survive in the soil from harvest to seeding time.

and are present to infest fall-sown wheat. The continuous growing of susceptible wheat on infested land may result in an increase of the disease. Since flag-smut affects only wheat, other crops may be safely grown in the rotation. Any wheat crop residues or material that may contain flag-smut spores, such as straw, manure, or a straw mulch on potatoes, may be a source of infestation if applied to the land. Where such flag-smut infested residues are used, some other crop than wheat should be grown.

The immunization of suckling pigs for hog cholera has much to recommend it in the way of decreased cost and increased protection, according to animal industry specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. By immunizing early, less serum is required and the pigs are protected sooner, and since the successful immunization of suckling pigs does not necessitate the reduction of feed, it is possible that this may enable the farmer to market the pigs somewhat earlier than if the immunization were carried out after weaning. If young pigs receive the serum-virus treatment, the immunity as a rule is lasting; only an exceptional herd or individual will contract cholera. In giving this treatment to young pigs, it is most important to be sure that they are in good health at the time of treatment.

### Summer Silage Suggestions

Summer silage is the best means of supplementing pasture for dairy cows in summer and fall when grass is short because of hot, dry weather and close grazing. For a herd of 12 to 20 cows, a silo of from 10 to 12 feet in diameter is best, as the silage can be fed out fast enough to prevent spoiling. Now is the time to plan for next summer's feeding. Supplementary pasture crops instead of summer silage are used by many dairymen to prevent the midsummer drop in milk flow. In many sections sweet clover has proved very satisfactory for this purpose, and alfalfa can also be pastured at this time.

Combinations of legumes such as peas, vetches, and soy beans, with grains such as corn, wheat, oats, barley, and rye, can be fed green, and successive plantings of these crops will often provide succulent feeds over an extended period. Too many farmers expect their dairy cows to produce plenty of milk during the summer on poor pasture with no additional feed.

### Alfalfa Wants Clean Ground

To avoid the destruction of stands of alfalfa from bacterial wilt in

districts where this disease is present, the U. S. Department of Agriculture recommends that new seedlings should not be made on fields that receive surface drainage or flooding from land on which diseased plants are located. The most destructive outbreaks of bacterial wilt, which has caused serious damage in the past 3 or 4 years in many alfalfa-growing regions, particularly in the central Mississippi Valley, have occurred in fields where the bacteria from diseased plants were probably conveyed to them by water flowing along the surface of the ground or by temporary flooding. Bacteria may be carried from diseased to healthy plants in a field by the knives of the mower, and possibility of infection in this way may be reduced by mowing the field when the plants are free from dew or rain. Dry fragments of alfalfa stems may carry the bacteria for many months, so diseased stems should not be carried to new fields either mixed with unclean seed or mixed as unrotted refuse from alfalfa hay with manure.

### Glenna Collett Stars



Glenna Collett continues to play a rattling good game, but so far has been unable to regain her championship title.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 8th day of September A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Eliza O. Scriber, deceased.

Sarah O. Peck, sister of said deceased, having filed in said court her petition praying that the administration, and settlement of said estate be granted to Merle F. Nellist, of the Village of Grayling in said County, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 8th day of October A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

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9-13-3

## RIGHTING FOR HER RIGHTS

By THOMAS ARKLE CLARK  
Dean of Men, University of Illinois

WHATEVER social or political position women have attained they have had to fight for single handed almost. There was no logical reason from the start which should have denied them the right of suffrage. They are quite as intelligent as men, quite as susceptible to the sophistries of the party politician, quite as indifferent to exercising the rights of suffrage after they have obtained them. So far they have seemed to be quite satisfied with the small and gainy political plums.

In obtaining such privileges of suffrage as they now have, it may be alleged that they have been helped by men, but it has been in most cases grudgingly given, with a good deal of protest, and after considerable hectoring of husbands by politically ambitious wives.

The Hudsons sent us at Christmas time a picture of their two children—a boy and a girl, aged six and four respectively. It is an intriguing little picture, and shows, Nancy says, the natural relationship between the sexes. The boy, stronger and older, has a picture book in his hands, and is intently absorbed in its contents. He is paying no attention to his sister; the book is his, and he is getting considerable pleasure out of it.

She is apparently intending to see also. She is pushing her way to the front, and gazing intently over his arm which bars the way to her own possession of the interesting and coveted volume. It is a case of "horming in" as we say in colloquial English.

"Isn't that just like men?" Nancy says when she looks at the picture. "If a man gets something that he enjoys—the morning paper or the right of suffrage—and if we want it we have to push our way in and grab for it."

I suppose it's the truth. Sometimes, too, when a woman fights for a right and seemingly has won it, she loses it again. I had always supposed that it was a woman's privilege—it surely was so in the neighborhood in which I grew up—to keep what she could find in her husband's pockets, or sending them to the cleaners, he carelessly left any loose change in his pockets. The privilege seems to be a doubtful one now. A woman at in Kansas City was recently convicted of petty larceny merely for exercising this supposed privilege. It seems unreasonable; a married woman certainly has some rights which should be considered inalienable.

Women have seldom been very successful fighters. They make progress, they get what they want ultimately, but they do it more by finesse and strategy than by force. If they "horn in" it is done skillfully, cautiously, with grace even at times. The woman is more often than otherwise the head of the household, but the fight for the position which she holds has been a bloodless one. She has won, usually, without the man's knowing it. Here is a battle of wits and not of brawn, but it is a fight just the same. (© 1928, Western Newspaper Union.)

### A Magnet Then

It is easy for a man to locate relatives, near and distant, after he has become a hero—Des Moines Tribune Capital.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 4th day of September A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Perry Ostrander, deceased.

Elmer Ostrander, a son of said deceased having filed in said court his petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the first day of October A. D. 1928, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling, in said County, on the 24th day of August A. D. 1928.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Fritz Kraus, deceased.

Emil Kraus, a son of said deceased, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration and settlement of said estate be granted to Ben. B. Kraus or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 1st day of October A. D. 1928 at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

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8-30-3

### Doctor Sun Fo



Dr. Sun Fo, minister of reconstruction of the Chinese Nationalist government, who is touring the world in an effort to obtain the opinions and advice of various officials on his plans for the restoration of his war-torn country. Doctor Fo was presented at the State department in Washington by Doctor Sze, Chinese minister to Washington.

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### Mistreating Father's Time

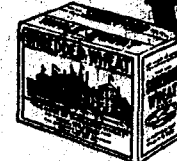
Only a man skilled in the art of getting away with murder can afford to kill time.—Farm and Fireside

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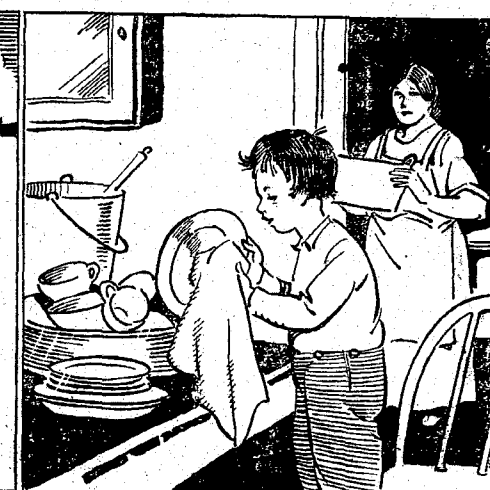
## PICTORIAL LIFE OF HERBERT HOOVER

No 4

By Satterfield



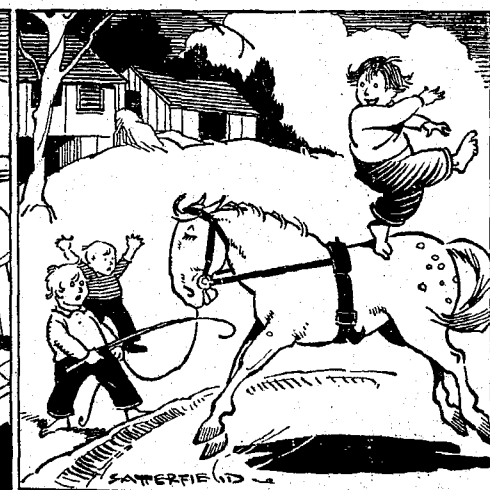
1. After Herbert Hoover's father died in Iowa, the three children went to live at Uncle Benajah's farm nearby.



2. Here Herbert had his share of the housework, which included this important engineering job.



3. The children's playhouse was the farm attic, where they read Youth's Companion and Robinson Crusoe.

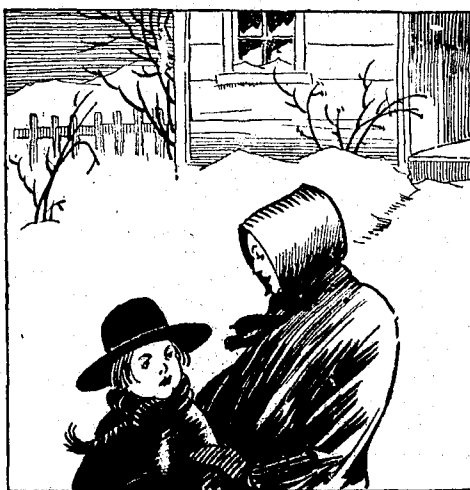


4. First prize always went to Herbert when the children played circus with Uncle Benajah's old white mare.

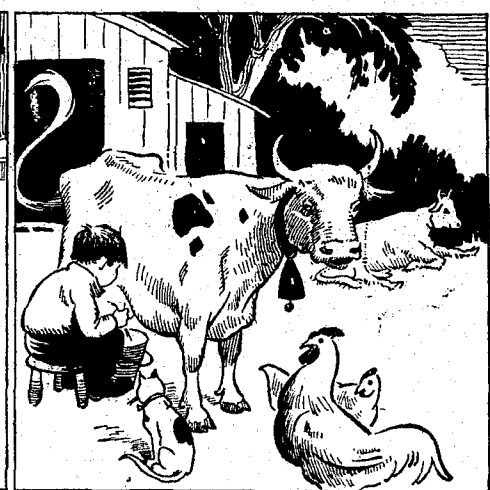
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By Satterfield



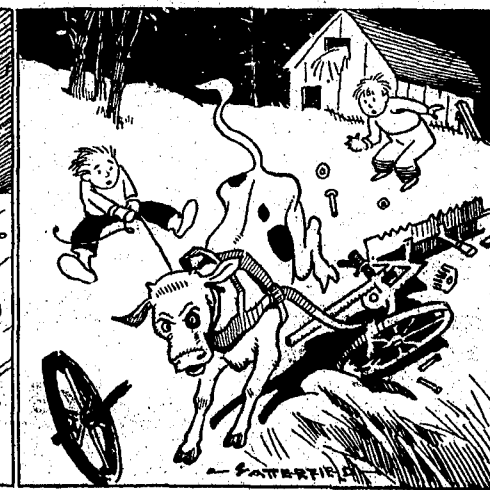
1. After the death of Herbert Hoover's mother in 1884, he went to live with his Aunt Millie in Cedar Rapids, Ia.



2. He was now ten years of age—old enough to assume an important share in all manner of farm work.



3. In winter Herbert and his cousin rode on horseback to school two miles away.



4. The future engineer constructed a moving machine out of an old cross-cut saw, using a butter for power.

## Four Speeds Forward

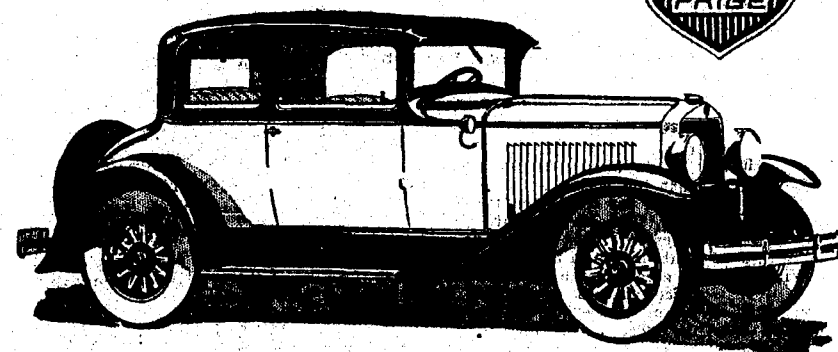
Driving with four speeds forward, you have two high speeds instead of one. The gear shift is standard—you start in second, advance to third, and then to fourth.

First is a reserve speed, instantly available, but seldom used. Four speeds forward give a new thrill to motoring—which we invite you to enjoy.

Two High Speeds  
Standard Gear Shift

Five chassis—six and eight—prices ranging from \$660 to \$2485. Car illustrated is Model 619, four-passenger Coupe, with 4-speed transmission (standard gear shift), \$1575. All prices f. o. b. Detroit.

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## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES  
OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Grayling, September 14, 1905  
Henry Moon has gone to the state fair at Detroit.

Floyd Moon has put down a new pump and installed a fine pump.

Born, to Dr. and Mrs. Insley, Saturday, September 9th, a son. Fourteen pounds.

Rev. Robert Stillwell of Rose City will occupy the pulpit at the M. E. church next Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Niles and the baby were visiting her "Grandpas" at Gaylord last week, reaching home Saturday.

Joseph Valentine was made glad the first of the week by a visit from his mother, whom he had not seen for seven years.

Rev. L. Pillmeier left Tuesday morning for Tawas City to attend a meeting of Saginaw Presbytery and will return Thursday morning.

Mr. Morrison, manager of the Central Drug Store went south Saturday to spend Sunday with "The old folks at home" or with some younger one, and is now east after their holiday stock.

Mrs. W. M. Woodworth is east securing the latest in the millinery world. The ladies in our village are eagerly watching for opening announcements, while their husbands tremble.

S. Sicker, A. Taylor and W. Havens have the contract for building the addition to the school house above the basement which will be put in by Chas. Howland. We are glad the job is secured by our home mechanics, and we are assured of honest work.

Charles L. Tromble has taken charge of the Express office in place of J. M. Jones, who is now, with his wife, visiting at their old home in Chesaning, after which they will pack their grip for a new home in Wash-

ington. It will seem strange not to see him in the office for he has hardly missed an hour in ten years.

Miss Ivy Francis has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. K. Bates, in Maple Forest, and old friends at Gaylord, where for several years she was a typist, going there to Lansing.

She has changed her profession from typist to stenographer and now has an enviable position in that city. Her friends are glad to know of her success.

**TOURISTS ENTHUSIASTIC OVER MICHIGAN**

(By E. M. T. Service)  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Bosquet, of Pittsfield, Massachusetts, visited the log office of the East Michigan Tourist Association last week on their return home after a tour of 28 states during a period of five months. They were enthusiastic about Michigan's roads, air, water, scenic beauty and the hospitality of the people.

"While there is room for improvement in the highway situation in Michigan," Mr. Bosquet said, "Michigan roads as a rule are satisfactory. That strip of pavement called the World's Greatest Highway, between Pontiac and Detroit, was particularly impressive."

Mrs. Bosquet vivaciously interrupted her husband to say: "We had heard so much about what other states had to offer in the way of beauty and healthful environment! Many of the states, and this includes those which are the ones most advertised were severe disappointments to us. Certainly, the air nowhere could compare with the glorious vitalizing air that you have here in East Michigan."

## TEACHING OF THRIFT IN OUR SCHOOLS NOW MAKING RAPID STRIDES

(By S. W. Straus, President American Society for Thrift.)

During the school year just opened far greater attention to the teachings of thrift will be given than at any previous time. Probably no less than 10,000,000 students will then be gaining educational help in thrift.

In some schools no effort has been made in thrift education to go further than the establishment of school savings banks. In others, the bank work is supplemented by certain lessons in thrift imparted by the teachers. In still other schools, real instructions in thrift along correct scientific lines have been adopted. The latter method is the one to which all schools should work.

Near the close of the last school year, the outline of a thrift study course for grades one to eight, inclusive, was completed and issued by the American Society for Thrift after thirteen years of research and study by various educators. This outline does not provide a separate course in thrift but, by concrete example, shows how thrift can be applied to many of the common branches.

During the spring and summer, many schools throughout the country secured copies of this outline of thrift study with a view of introducing the work in the curriculum this year.

We believe very few people today deprecate the value of thrift. Surely one can over-estimate its worth when properly expounded in the classroom.

The work of the school system of this nation has been greatly enriched by the introduction of thrift teachings in this practical form. The nation that teaches thrift to its young need have no fears about its future place among the nations of men.

**Wild Oatmeal**  
Wild oatmeal must make a terrible noise when it cooks in the double boiler. Instead of saying "plop plop" it probably roars "whoop whoop"—Woman's Home Companion

## Is THIRTY the Love Deadline?

Fontaine Fox, the creator and general superintendent of the power plant which the Town of Grayling, was born in Louisville, Ky., in 1884. His sense of humor controlled his life at an early age and when twenty-two years old he began to establish his reputation as a cartoonist on the Louisville Herald. Since that time he has been successfully with the Louisville Times, Chicago Evening Post and a syndicate which now supplies daily drawings to newspapers. Mr. Fox is married.

**By FONTAINE FOX**  
I had forgotten the name of that flagpole sitting champion who makes his living by spending weeks at a time cut off from humanity while suspended in a boy's chair from a pole on top of some high building that needs publicity. Then the other day I read something that brought it all back: The flagpole sitting champion is Dr. Will Durant, while I cannot remember what flagpole he inhabits now, it seems to me he won his championship last summer out in Chicago.

It must have been Doctor Durant, because in the newspaper article to which I refer, he had written that a man is incapable of falling in love and giving a woman sincere devotion after he passes the age of thirty. Could anyone but a flagpole-hermit have said—and meant—such a thing? Certainly not.

There is an advertising slogan of some paint company which says, "Save the Surface and You Save All." Men and women, too, are embraced by the theory of that slogan because when the original love affair cracks and peels they need a new coat of rose-colored paint. A properly conducted marriage is not a perpetual love affair by any kind of reckoning. Indeed, it is a succession of love affairs between the same man and the same woman.

Each affair may last for the length of time that Doctor Durant might sit on a flagpole, say two weeks. The intervals are the placid periods during which the lady and the gentleman of the establishment get along without rioting; dwell in mutual uninterest like a couple of passengers in a street car. Those placid intervals may continue for half a day, or a day, or any number of days, depending on the individuals involved. Naturally, this behavior persists until people are far beyond thirty, even unto old age; and occasionally, or oftener, the stimulus to love is excited by some third party.

There is a grandfather of my acquaintance who was a loving husband and father by all the standards of Toonerville until he suffered a wayward outbreak of this disorder called love, and eloped to California with a woman of forty-nine. I got all the details at the club, one day during luncheon, from the man who was sent West to retrieve the errant grandfather.

It is my further contention that this predisposition to fall in love is what drove those ascetic of early Christian times to ship up poles to live on in the mountains. They knew they could never keep their vows if they remained on the ground—even the old ones with long white beards. They were afraid of themselves.

It is my opinion that the world is full of fine men and women who are far beyond thirty, who are capable of falling in love violently, recklessly and completely, but who are constrained by the myriad threads of responsibility to withstand temptation. This is why the passionate dramas of middle-aged lovers that get into the newspapers usually concern people who have a wide streak of selfishness running through their characters.

For a while I lived in a Chicago suburb which was rocked by the so-called scandal of a married woman's elopement. Thirty? You should have heard the neighborhood gossip guild's adding machine at work on that problem. They figured she was forty-eight if she was a day. The woman left her husband and her children for the other man and they drove away in her husband's automobile, which was quite in character with the lover.

He was, we later discovered, a thoroughly disreputable person who had served a prison sentence for some other form of larceny. Several years have passed and yet the lovers are reported to be living together, seemingly still infatuated with each other. Such things, you may say, are not entirely rational but neither is falling in love rational; for which reason I feel that men like Doctor Durant should be prohibited by law from discussing the subject with a pretense of authority. You cannot find out about it in books, or while meditating on top of a flagpole. More is to be learned on a park bench, in the corridors of the Ritz or when the ice man walks into the kitchen.

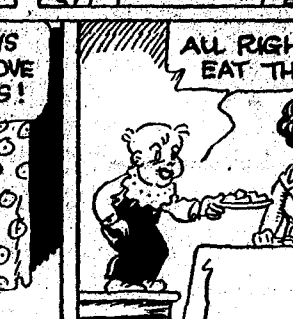
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**Drug Named for Slave**  
The names of many flowers and their origin in proper nouns. Back of them there are often biographies. The beautiful Japanese flower, wisteria, discovered by Nuttall, was named after him, but in honor of one of his scientific friends, Caspar Wistar, a professor of anatomy at the University of Pennsylvania. The gentian gets its name from the Egyptian king, Gentius, who was the first to discover its properties. Quassia was named after Quassi, a negro slave in Surinam, Dutch Guiana, who used its bark as a remedy for fever.

**Little of Everything**  
In the making of a telephone receiver there are employed aluminum, silk, copper, rubber, flux, nickel, mica, shellac, lead, cotton, silver, iron, wool platinum, zinc and gold.

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Take notice that sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed or deeds issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the County in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centum additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute Proceedings for possession of the land.

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
County of Crawford.  
The North half of the Northeast quarter of Sec. 4, Town 26N, Range 3W. Amount paid \$9.76 tax for year 1924.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$24.52 plus the fees of the Sheriff.  
John Brun, place of business Grayling, Michigan.

To Ellis C. Talmadge, Romain M. Conger and Maurice J. Nathanson, last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County. 9-6-4

**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
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The West half of the Northwest quarter of Sec. 2, Town 25N, Range 3W. Amount paid \$14.77 tax for year 1919.

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The matter of the estate of Charles B. Primm, late of the Village of Grayling, said County, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that four months from the first day of September A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the seventh day of January A. D. 1924, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the seventh day of January A. D. 1924, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated September, first A. D. 1923.  
GEORGE SORENSON,  
Judge of Probate.

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**STATE OF MICHIGAN**  
County of Crawford.  
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the 4th day of September A. D. 1923.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Solon O. Richardson, Jr., deceased.

Jennie B. Richardson, the legal appointed executor having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered that the first day of October A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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In the matter of the estate of Robert Smith, late of the Village of Frederic, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 4 months from the third day of August A. D. 1923, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on or before the third day of December A. D. 1923, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the third day of December A. D. 1923, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated August 3rd A. D. 1923.  
GEORGE SORENSON,  
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NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 17, town 25N, range 2W. Amount paid \$4.51 tax for year 1924. Paid as a condition of purchase (the 1924 tax).

Amount necessary to redeem, \$41.12 plus the fees of the sheriff.

Augustus Funk, place of business Grayling, Michigan.

To Geo. Potts, of Detroit, Mich., and Hattie C. Cattermole, of Ypsilanti, and Michigan Central Railroad Company last grantees in the regular chain title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County.

Said Geo. Potts and Hattie C. Cattermole, holding title under Homestead Tax land deed, grantees under the tax deed issued by the Auditor General for the latest year's taxes appearing of record in said registry of deeds.

Dated July 27th, 1923.  
My fees, \$1.00.

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Sheriff of said County.  
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## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1928

Mrs. Thomas Wakeley is a patient at Mercy Hospital.

J. W. Hartwick of Detroit is receiving treatment at Mercy Hospital.

Frank May is driving a new Essex coach, purchased of Corwin Auto Sales.

Word has been received from Niles of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Cletus St. Pierre on September 4th.

Mrs. Peter Robertson and son Clarence are spending the week in Detroit visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Anderson and family.

Mrs. Edward Sisco of Higgins Lake who underwent an operation at the hospital for the removal of her appendix, is getting along nicely.

Howard Granger took a party of the Boy Scouts to Bay City Sunday to see the movie "The Perfect Crime" that was showing at the Orpheum.

Mrs. Minnie Penn of Auburn and nephew James Howse of Jackson, who have been picking berries here and visiting relatives returned Tuesday to their homes.

Special—About 50 pairs of boys shoes 11 to 6, to go at 25% off at Olson's.

Several new Mens Oxfords just arrived at Olson's, \$4.25 to \$7.75.

Mrs. R. D. Bailey of Gaylord called on friends in Grayling Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Peterson enjoyed last week from her duties at the Drs. Keyport and Clippert offices. Mrs. Peterson and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hans L. Peterson spent part of the week in Traverse City.

I am offering a splendid force pump with pipe and point for \$5.00 if taken at once. It is a used pump but I give you my personal guarantee that it will work satisfactorily or money refunded. J. W. Sorenson.

Mrs. Ollie McLeod left Sunday for Lansing in company with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hermann, who had spent the week end here. After a few days visit there she will leave for Detroit where she expects to remain.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bates had as their guests the latter part of the week, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crandall of Fulton, New York, and Mrs. Archie McKay of Flint. Mrs. McKay with her husband just recently returned after a several months sojourn in Scotland.

Joseph Lee, who has been at Mercy Hospital since the middle of August is recovering nicely and will leave Saturday for his home in Kalamazoo. The young man was a member of the National Guard and entered the hospital while the guard were in camp at the Military reservation.

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E. J. Olson was in Petoskey and Harbor Springs Sunday and Monday.

Emil Giegling and family is enjoying a new Majestic radio, purchased of Frank Tetu.

Mrs. Clayton Strachly and baby daughter were dismissed from Mercy hospital Saturday.

Several of the summer residents at Lake Margrethe made a trip to Petoskey Saturday.

Sigbee school opened last week Tuesday with Miss Mary Vance of Lovella the teacher.

Marius Hanson, son of Mrs. Hansine Hanson is taking Stanley Matsons place at Mac & Gidley's.

Wait for the big show to be given October 23 and 24. Further particulars will be given later. Watch for them.

Mrs. F. A. Eckenfels and Mrs. Arnold Burrows and daughter Ruth visited the Ben DeLaMater family in Saginaw a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix DePolo of West Branch visited the Dell Wheeler family here the last of the week before the latter's departure for Detroit.

Sheriff and Mrs. J. E. Bobenmoyer and son Don left Saturday to visit relatives in Salina, Ohio, and other places expecting to be gone for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Herbert W. Wolf is leaving this week for her home in New York City after spending the summer at their summer home, Wolf's Den, Lake Margrethe.

Lester Astray, employed at the Grayling Fish Hatchery has been granted a pension, receiving his first check Monday which amount also covered back pay from March.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Michelson and children, John and Jeanne have left for their home in Detroit after spending the summer months at their summer home at Lake Margrethe.

Miss Marguerite Montour is assisting in the Model bakery during the absence of her sister Genevieve, who is enjoying a couple of weeks vacation in Detroit and other places.

John Brockman reports the possession of a fine bed of the eastern part of the township. The ground, he says, is covered with handsome blossoms.

There was a nice crowd of Grangers who enjoyed the pot luck dinner at Richard Babbitt's in Maple Forest last Sunday. It being such a nice day the tables were set out-of-doors.

An error was made in the report of the Frank Barber reunion in last week's issue. Mr. and Mrs. Barber were celebrating their 46th anniversary instead of their 64th as stated.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts were host and hostess to ten ladies and gentlemen Tuesday evening at their home in honor of Mrs. Thora Nelson of Kenosha, Wisc., who is their guest.

Misses Clarice Welch and Lola Craven of Frederic have entered the Mercy Hospital Training School for Nurses. Three others are expected to enter by the time the fall term opens.

Miss Isa Granger left the first of the week to visit her sister, Mrs. Fred Lamm at Monroe for a few days. She will also visit friends in Fremont, Ind., before returning, intending to be away about two weeks.

Mrs. Granger and son George have returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Northville, Plymouth and Ann Arbor. They were accompanied by Mrs. Burnes Freeman of Plymouth who will be their guest for several days.

Mrs. Earl Madsen and daughter Patsy of Detroit spent last week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wakeley and her chum, Polly Ireland. Her husband and Walter Shaw joined her over Labor Day and all returned to Detroit Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sachs of Detroit are leaving today for Saginaw to visit the former's sister, Mrs. Ben DeLaMater, after having visited his mother, Mrs. F. A. Eckenfels here. While here they enjoyed a trip to the Straits and Munising and also spent a day at the former's boyhood home in Lewiston.

Adelbert Wheeler came up from Detroit the last of the week to accompany his family to that city, where they will take up their residence. He with his son Teddy have been employed there for some time. The Wheeler family who during their residence in Grayling made a host of warm friends, carry with them best wishes for success to their new home.

Highland Park Lodge F. & A. M. of Detroit will confer the 3rd degree at Petoskey Lodge Saturday evening, Sept. 22nd. Members of Grayling lodge have been invited to attend. It is expected that about 2,500 masons representing Michigan and Wisconsin lodges will be at that meeting.

Middle LaMotte has taken over the lunch counter business of Al. Cramer, which is operated in connection with the Lon Cohen billiard room and soft drink parlor in the former Max Landsberg building. This line isn't new to Middle and you will get a well prepared meal at this lunch counter.

Mrs. Henry Harder, daughter Helena and sons Isbrand and Jacob left Friday night for Hillsboro, Kansas, where they will make their home. Misses Marie and Elizabeth, who are employed in Grayling will remain until about Christmas time when they will join the remainder of the family in Kansas.

Four little children are patients at Mercy hospital due to injuries received on the opening day of school. Little Marjorie Robinson, 8 years old, was Vanderbilt is at the hospital with a badly broken leg received Sept. 4th as she was getting off of a school bus. A passing auto snatched her off the running board of the bus and besides the broken leg she also received bruises to her face. Clyde Myers, also of Vanderbilt received a broken arm while playing on a playground slide. He entered the Hospital Sunday. Vern Hartford of Grayling had the misfortune to break an arm when he fell from a truck last Friday. Margaret Nelson, five years old, daughter of Jens Nelson of Johannesburg is at the hospital with a broken arm received while playing on a playground slide at the school there. She has been at the hospital since August 19th. Phoenix Rose wear twice as long as others. Get them at Olson's.

Take your prescriptions to the Central Drug Store.

Attorney Merle F. Nellist is driving a new Dodge sedan.

Miss Martha Bidvia has gone to Detroit where she is employed.

Maurice Gorman and family visited relatives in East Jordan Sunday.

Miss Fedora Montour is spending the week in Standish and Bay City, attending a nurses' banquet at the latter place Wednesday evening.

There will be the usual Saturday night dance at the Beaver Creek Town Hall, with new music. Come and have a good time next Saturday night. Everybody cordially invited.

School was closed yesterday afternoon so that the pupils might attend the county fair at Gaylord. There was no charge to the fair grounds on that day for school children.

The Kerry & Hanson Flooring Co. mill resumed operations this morning after being closed down the first three days of the week making some needed repairs to the dry kiln.

Mrs. Ernest Borchers and son Donald and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Heric are spending the week in Muskegon Heights visiting the latter's sister, Mrs. Walter Sherman and family.

Postmaster and Mrs. Melvin A. Bates left this morning to spend the remainder of the month on a pleasure trip in the east. They will visit the former's father, J. K. Bates at Caughdeny, New York and other relatives in that state while away.

Carl Nelson drove to Standish Sunday to accompany Mrs. Nelson and their son Carl Henry home who had been visiting relatives there for the week. He was accompanied to Standish by Mrs. Harold Rasmussen, and Misses Fedora and Marguerite Montour.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Otson of South Gate, Calif., who have been spending the summer in Grayling and at the cottage at Lake Margrethe, left the last of the week on their return home. However they expect to visit in Detroit and other places for a month or more before continuing their trip westward.

May we suggest that everyone interested in the school—either students or grownups—read the school notes published on the front page of this issue of the Avalanche. The pupils seem to have the right spirit and with a little outside co-operation this should be a fine school year. The suggestions asked of the pupils may well be practiced by the public generally.

The Rainy Day Club ladies were guests of Mrs. Esbern Hanson at her summer home on Tuesday afternoon. Bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon. Mrs. Marius Hanson and Mrs. Olaf Michelson holding high scores and Mrs. Oscar Hanson winning consolation. After bridge the ladies were entertained with moving pictures of local views which were very interesting.

There will be work in the last degree at Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. tonight, Sept. 13. As usual there will be a luncheon and smoker. Several matters of importance will be taken up at the meeting. Petoskey lodge has invited our members to attend a meeting of their lodge Sept. 22nd when they expect to have about 2,500 masons in attendance. Come out tonight and hear all about it.

Mrs. Henry Bauman was hostess to the Goodfellowship Club and Rainy Day Club on Thursday afternoon at a bridge luncheon. The ladies found their places at a long table in the Hanson dining hall which was centered with a large bouquet of old fashioned garden flowers. After the luncheon five tables were filled for bridge. Mrs. Olaf Michelson and Mrs. Geo. Alexander won prizes, while Mrs. Bates drew the house prize. After the bridge a meeting was held for the members of the Goodfellowship Club at which time important business matters were settled.

See all the new fall shades of hosiery at Olson's.

Rev. J. W. Greenwood left Tuesday for the Soo where he will be in attendance at the annual conference of Methodist, Episcopal church. Rev. Greenwood was extended an unusual invitation to return to Grayling next year, and voted a salary of \$2,500 per year. It is the wish of practically all Grayling people who know Mr. Greenwood, whether an attendant of his church or not, we believe, to have him return. Appointments will be made for this district by the Bishop and his official board at their meeting at the Soo this week. Until then all M. E. churches of this district are without pastors. Many will be re-appointed to their last charge and there are always many changes. The preachers themselves have little or nothing to say as to what the conference may do. We trust the conference will return Rev. Greenwood to Grayling.

Get Daniel Green's comfy's at Olson's.

Those from Grayling who attended the American Legion convention at Petoskey report a very interesting meeting and lots of fun. Petoskey made fine hosts and sent the crowd away happy and enthusiastic about meeting there sometime again. It was planned early in the year to hold the convention the four days over Labor Day, but owing to this being such a resort city it would be impossible to accommodate the crowd so it was decided to postpone it for a week. The changing of the plans cut the number who are always in attendance at this convention but those who did go made merry while there. There were business meetings, a fine banquet at which Governor Green and Senator Vandenberg were guests and spoke, and dancing each evening. From Grayling there were in attendance: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson and Alvin LaChapelle, delegates; Harry Hemmingson, Emil Giegling, Andrew Jensen, James Reynolds, Jr., Oscar Smith, Earle Hewitt, Wilfred Laurant, Mayor Hans Petersen and George McCullough.

Grayling experienced one of the worst electrical storms of the season Monday evening with a heavy rain. The lightning entered the J. W. Sorenson home during the storm burning the baseboard around one room. At Roscommon it is reported that the public school building was struck the same day, but no serious damage resulted.

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The Busy Shopper's Guide

## House Paint at Less Money

House paint prices seem to be rather unsettled this fall and to meet this condition we are offering you, until further notice, our best outside house paint only at 50 cents off per gallon. We invite you to take advantage of this lower price.

### Dressing Table

with triple mirrors, American walnut finish. Regular price \$43.50.

**Special \$25.00**

### Oval Mirror

bevel French plate 18x40 in. 4 inch frame, walnut finish.

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### Chair and Rocker

Combination High Chair and Rocker, oak, golden finish.

**Special price \$7.30**

### Children's Rockers

One lot of Children's Rockers, red posts and arms, reed back and seat, slightly damaged

Price as is **\$1.00 each**

## Our Variety Department Bargains

A splendid assortment of Glacine Shades for bridge and table lamp. Your choice **\$1.98**

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22x42 white with borders in assorted colors. Would be a bargain at 50c. Our price **34c each**.

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Hard baked earthen body, rich mahogany brown, strong and durable, **48c.**

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In the tremendous success which Pontiac Six is enjoying is ample reason for designating this great General Motors car "Chief of the Sixes."

Never has any new car risen so rapidly in the estimation of motor car buyers for during the first six months of 1928, over 136,000 Pontiacs were sold—the largest volume ever achieved by any car during the first half of its third year in production! This great public acceptance tells more of what Pontiac offers at \$745 than even the most complete listing of such features as Fisher bodies, 186 cu. in. engine, the C-M-R cylinder head, cross-flow radiator, foot-controlled headlights, coincidental lock, etc., etc! Come in for a ride today and learn why its sales sweep ever upward.

2-Door Sedan, \$745; Coupe, \$745; Sport Roadster, \$745; Phaeton, \$775; Cabriolet, \$795; 4-Door Sedan, \$825; Sport Landau Sedan, \$875. Oakland 4th American St., \$1045 to \$1265. All prices at factory. Check Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices—they include lowest handling charges. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

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## PONTIAC SIX

PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

### FREDERIC FLASHES

(Too late for last week.)

Mrs. White and daughter, Miss Carrie and Mrs. John Lammiman and husband of Bay City were here last week. Mr. Lammiman was a Western Union operator here before he was called to the World war.

Louis and Glen Gardner of Cheboygan were rusticated here last week.

Mr. George Thomas went fishing to Alexandria Lake with a party last Wednesday, and in going back to his car, a distance of half a mile, with his grandson Paul Bender, he lost his way. This necessitated a searching party when they did not show up, but they were not found until morning, having slept at the side of a log. They were none worse for their experience.

Miss Mary Bender accompanied her father back to Marion, Ohio.

John Colbert was laid to rest Wednesday afternoon in the Frederic cemetery. In attendance at the funeral were his brothers, James of

Flint, William and family of New Baltimore, Mrs. Birch and husband of Bay City, a sister from Chicago and a brother-in-law of Rose City.

Rev. Earle and Sidney Barber returned from Gull Lake last Sunday evening.

Mrs. Scriven, John Malco's housekeeper is very ill at the present writing.

Miss Annabelle Hunter and Leeco Ashenfelter were married last Saturday evening.

### Vegetably Speaking

"Life's a game of shellin' peas," says Bill Benz, the neighborhood philosopher, "and the good sports are willin' to take peelluck."—Farm and Fire side.

Rubber is now cheaper than it has been for several years, which makes it nice for the gum shoe politicians this year.

### A SHORT BIOGRAPHY OF MR. HENRY HARDER'S LIFE AND DEATH

Henry Harder was born in southern Russia on May 16th, 1870. In 1874 he came as a 4 year old child with his parents, Johann Harders to America. They settled in a colony of Gnadensau, Marion County, State of Kansas, near Hillsboro, where he spent his junior years with many comrades of his age.

In indifference and self-indulgence these young people hardened their hearts against the gospel that they heard so freely, till God in his judgment and mercy talked to them in a very severe language and in the year 1887 in this manner he took two of the most beloved comrades out of their midst thru sudden deaths. The first one of them was Abraham Koop at the age of seventeen, brother to the wife of said Henry Harder. This young man was killed by lightning on the 17th of July. (The very same day on which now 41 years later Henry Harder was killed thru a sudden accident.) The other young man was John Fleming who fell from a load of hay as he went thru the town of Hillsboro, the load passing over him brot sudden death. Thru these doings of God, the juniors became awakened and willing to surrender, and a great revival broke out. In this revival Henry Harder got converted, found forgiveness of sin in the precious blood of Jesus who died to save him. In 1888 he was, according to the faith of the Gospel, baptised by immersion in the river which was officiated by Elder J. A. White, founder of the Mennonite church of which he was a faithful member till his death.

When he was 26 years old he was married on the 26th of July, 1896 to Miss Maria Koop, living at Rodgers, Texas with her parents at that time. A year later they made their home in a new settlement at East Bernard, Texas where they lived 7 years, they moved to Oklahoma, from there to Canada, then to Grayling, Mich. Henry Harder was born and raised on a farm and had been a farmer most of his lifetime except the last 9 years of which the last three years he had served as a railroad crossing watchman for the M. C. R. R. in Grayling. Then he was transferred to Lansing to take over a station on Sheridan Street where he served the last 4 months of his life. The company giving him the testimony that he was the most faithful, cleanest, and trustworthy man they had on their line.

Thru many severe and trying storms of life, many oppositions and disappointments, Bro. Henry Harder never wavered nor lost out in his faith towards his God. Of which his bereaved ones are greatly comforted to know, that he with Paul would say: "I have run my course, I have kept the faith, henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness which God, the Righteous Judge, will give on that day to all that love his appearance." In his life he was much concerned about the welfare of his children and this was mostly expressed in these words: "I have no greater joy than this, that I hear that all of my children walk in the Truth."

On July the 17th, 1928, Mr. Henry Harder left his home place in Lansing about 7 o'clock a. m. to take his son Isbrand to the city of Lansing where he was to take up work at eight o'clock. After that Mr. Harder attended to some business and had his car checked intending to come



# NEVER BEFORE Such Value as This!

If you had planned to get your Piano this year,

next year, or even within five years from now, it will pay you and pay you **BIG** to come in now and see what it means to buy a piano at a factory price and factory terms. You can save hundreds of dollars on any piano in this big stock, but you must decide to act quick, as this big sale may close suddenly. Remember terms as well as prices are now reduced. We do not believe it will ever be easier to own a piano.

### \$550 Player Outfits

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# \$257

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Terms on this fine outfit have been specially reduced during this sale from

\$25 a month to

# Only \$2.50 a Week

or \$10 per month.



### Liberal allowance made on your old Piano, Phonograph or Radio

Many more wonderful used and factory rebuilt pianos have arrived and have been placed on sale at prices that represent only a fraction of their worth.

### Specials for Friday and Saturday

Schaeffer Piano, worth \$275 to \$300 --- \$147

Kimball Piano, worth \$200 to \$225 --- \$ 89

Many others to choose from. First come first served. We will play no favorites. One man's money is just as good as another's. If it has been your sincere desire to own a piano, then come in, make your selection. All you need is an honest looking face to get one.

### Let us Tell You Again:

The reason for the unheard of low prices during this sale is because you deal with factory direct in every sense of the word. Mr. Carl L. Netzow, Vice President of the factory, is personally superintending this big money-saving event. Such savings as jobbers' profits, retail discounts and agents' commissions, can only be made while Mr. Netzow is here. We do not believe that an opportunity like this has ever been offered before, and we do not think that as good an occasion as this is likely to come again.

SORENSEN BROTHERS.

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# Saturday, Sept. 15

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# Admission 75c; Grand Stand 25c

home as soon as possible and do some work at home. After his car was checked he had to cross the electric railroad. Eye witnesses said that he failed to first stop before he crossed and in that very moment the Interurban car came and gave signal. We do believe the shock of that signal and coming car were so great to him that it stunned him and in this excitement his heart failed him, so his car stalled on the very center of the track and the Interurban ran right thru which death came to him instantly. A most terrible accident. The undertaker of Lansing said that he believed Mr. Harder's life was gone before the Interurban struck him and he never felt the bumps and jerks. His body was seriously broken, yet he looked very natural in his casket. A glorified look upon his face and as he was 29 years younger then he really was. His sudden and sad death was too soon. But, Oh God, thy will be done. His age at this time was 58 years 2 months and one day. The father of eight children, four sons and four daughters, of which three are married. Grandfather of six children, all living. He leaves to mourn the sad and sudden loss of husband and father his dear wife and eight children, two daughters-in-law, six grandchildren. (His own father 82 years old), six brothers, one sister and many relatives and friends, who mourn but not as those who have no hope, for we await a reunion and everlasting life.

His funeral service was held on Sunday the 22nd of July at 2:30 p. m. from the Funeral Home on Michigan Avenue, Lansing, Mich. To mourn with us came from Oklahoma Mr. Abraham Koop 83 years old, the father of Mrs. Harder, Mrs. J. M. Whitworth, sister to Mrs. Harder, Rev. D. E. Harder from Hillsboro, Kansas, brother to Mr. Harder. From Chicago came Rev. D. M. Hofer and wife, Miss Thiesen, Miss Williams, 13 and chapter 5 from 1-11, then Mr. and Mrs. Prosey and son, all of

the Gospel Mission and Envoy A. Ramadale of the Salvation Army, Chicago. Also many friends from Lansing. Service was conducted by Com. E. Knapp of the Salvation Army and by Rev. D. M. Hofer in the German language. Sister Hofer, Miss Thiesen, Miss Williams and two others of Lansing served with beautiful hymns. Long shall we remember the words of comfort and inspiration, to so live, to be ready at any moment's call, which brought forth a sacred divine amen from the hearts and lips of the whole family and others who mourn with us.

The sorrow of the family is great and hard, the loss of their father and provider. I was glad to have the privilege to hurry to this family to share with them the sorrow and woe. How my heart did ache to stand beside the casket of my brother, Henry Harder, whom I had not seen in time of eleven years, cannot be said in words. Again how blessed it was to see my brother's family in all this woe, to cling to Jesus, the God of all comfort. On Monday the 23rd of July the body of Mr. Harder was shipped from Lansing to Hillsboro, Kansas, of which I was to take charge on the road. Everything went well and we reached our destiny where all preparations were made to have a funeral on the 25th of July. Services were held, first in his father's house, then in the church at Gnadensau, where many of his junior friends and relatives had come to cast a last look upon the bruised one. Three speakers and four singers served in the service after which the body was let down into the grave at Gnadensau cemetery where it will rest until the resurrection morning. This speaks to us in these words: "Therefore be ye also ready, for the Son of man cometh at an hour that ye think not." For his last morning service with his family, brother Henry Harder read: 1 Thessalonians chapter 4 from verse 13, and chapter 5 from 1-11, then he prayed earnestly and sincerely and

said: "Lord of a truth you will come as a thief in the night and at an hour we think not, and it behooves us to be ready any moment. Wash us with the precious blood of Jesus and keep us, and make us ready. Whenever death overtakes us we will be ready." As he was ready to start his car and leave his home to go to Lansing, he waved his wife and son Jacob his last goodbye, and a smile—and gone he is forever from this life. May we all be ready to meet him in the great beyond where we will be glorified to never separate again. God help us.

With love and greetings,  
Rev. D. E. Harder.

### RAILROADS SAFEST CONVEYANCES

The safest place you can be today while traveling is on a railroad train, according to figures released in the September issue of the New York Central Lines Magazine. While last year there were eighty-one persons killed on the American Railroads, all except ten of these deaths were due to causes beyond the control of the railroads. This total shows a reduction of 77 per cent since 1915, when there were 350 people killed. Compared with these figures are the 25,800 persons killed in automobile accidents last year, 8,600 of whom were passengers. The reason for the low figures of the railroads is their splendid safety achievement during a year in which they carried nearly 900 million passengers.

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### HOEFT STATE PARK POPULAR

(By E. M. T. Service)  
Cleanliness, playground equipment, fine bathing beach, dressing rooms, pavilion, natural beauty of the park, etc., are features which the thousands of visitors to Hoeft State park this season comment upon, according to the Presque Isle County Advance. Tourists from nearly every state in the union have visited the park. In July, 20,000 visitors were tabulated, an increase of 8,000 over July of last year. Indiana and Ohio cars were leaders in number, although New York, California and Florida licenses were frequently seen.

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